Funds for M.I.G. Flats

827. **Shri Madan Lal Khurana:** Will the Minister of **Urban Development** be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to invest more funds for the construction of M.I.G. Flats than S.F.S. Flats; and

(b) if not, the reasons thereof?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Urban Development (Shri M. Arunachalam): (a) and (b) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

News captioned "JJ Power Connections Breed Encroachment"

828. **Shri Mandan Lal Khurana:** Will the Minister of **Urban Development** be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of his Ministry has been drawn to the news item captioned "JJ power connections breed encroachment" appearing in the 'Indian Express' dated March 22, 1991; and

(b) if so, the action proposed to be taken, if any, on the recommendations of the experts?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Urban Development (Shri M. Arunachalam): (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Involvement of Private Sector in Construction of Houses

829. **Shri Madan Lal Khurana:** Will the Minister of **Urban Development** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to involve the private sector in the construction of D.D.A. houses;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the manner in which D.D.A. propose to provide flats to all the registrants by the end of 1993?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Urban Development (Shri M. Arunachalam): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Cement Factories in Himachal Pradesh

830. **Shri K. D. Sultanpuri:** Will the Minister of **Environment and Forests** be pleased to state:

(a) the details of companies which intend to set up cement factories in Himachal Pradesh; and

(b) the details of such companies who have been given clearance by the Government from environment and forest angles?

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (Shri Kamal Nath): (a) From information available with the Government of India eight companies viz. M/s A.C.C. Ltd., Gujarat Ambuja Cement Ltd., L & T Ltd., Chattisgarh Distilleries Ltd., Malwa Cotton Spinning Mills Ltd., Modipon Ltd., Mahabali Cement Pvt. Ltd. and Jeevan Cement and Chemicals Pvt. Ltd. propose to set up cements plants in Himachal Pradesh. None of the proposals has so far been referred to the Ministry of Environment and Forests for consideration.

(b) Does not arise.

Sub-letting of Shops allotted by Directorate of Estates

831. **Shri Rajnath Sonkar Shastri:** Will the Minister of **Urban Development** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the shopkeepers who have been allotted shops by the Directorate of Estates in Delhi have sub-let portions of their shops and verandahs in front of their shops and have encroached upon the vacant portion of the land near their shops; and

(b) if so, the number of shopkeepers who have sub-let a part of their shops, and have encroached upon

the vacant land near their shop market-wise and the action taken against the erring shopkeepers?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Urban Development (Shri M. Arunachalam): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Clearance of Lift Canal Schemes in Andhra Pradesh

832. **Shri Sobhanadreeshwara Rao Vadde**: Will the Minister of **Environment and Forests** be pleased to state:

(a) whether any clearance has been accorded by the Government for execution of work relating to Kakkampudi Major and Machavaram Major Canal Schemes under Nagarjun Sagar Left Canals System in Krishna District of Andhra Pradesh; and

(b) if not, the reasons for the delay in clearing these proposals?

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (Shri Kamal Nath): (a) No such proposal has been received in this Ministry.

(b) Does not arise.

Aid for Eye and General Hospital at village Kalambe, Maharashtra

833. **Prof. Ram Kapse**: Will the **Minister of Health and Family Welfare** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any request for providing financial assistance to Kalyan Social Service League, Maharashtra for erecting and establishing Eye and General Hospital at Village Kalambe, District Thane, Maharashtra; and

(b) if so, the action taken thereon?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (Shrimati D. K. Thana Devi Siddhartha): (a) and (b) No proposal for financial assistance has been received from Kalyan Social Service League, Maharashtra for erection of Eye and General Hospital at Village Kalambe, Distt. Thane, Maharashtra. However, letters from Prof. Ram Kapse were received in this regard and were replied to enclosing a copy of grant-in-aid scheme and requesting him to ask the Institution to submit the application in prescribed form through the concerned State Government. The application from the Institution is still awaited.

Upper Wardha Irrigation Project

834. **Prof. Ram Kapse**: Will the Minister of **Environment and Forests** be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 246, dated December 28, 1990 and state:

(a) whether the requisite information has since been collected; and

(b) if not, the reasons for delay?

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (Shri Kamal Nath): (a) and (b) The report from the State Government has been received. However, certain additional information was sought from the State Government on 25th March, 1991 which has not been received so far and the case has been rejected for non-furnishing of information on 25th April, 1991.

World Bank Assistance for Water Supply in Kerala

835. **Shri Kodikkunil Suresh**: Will the **Minister of Urban Development** be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal has been received by the Union Government from Government of Kerala for solving the acute shortage of drinking water supply in urban areas involving world bank loan; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Union Government in this regard?